

## COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR TREATING RAGE-ASSOCIATED DISORDERS

### ABSTRACT

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Fusion proteins comprising a Receptor for Advanced Glycation End Products  
Ligand Binding Element (RAGE-LBE) and an immunoglobulin element are  
disclosed. Also disclosed are fusion proteins comprising a RAGE-LBE and a  
dimerization domain. Also disclosed are nucleic acids encoding such fusion proteins  
10 and methods for using disclosed nucleic acids and proteins to, for example, treat  
RAGE-related disorders. Additional compositions and methods are also disclosed.